



Joint Electronic Commerce Program Office

***Adoption of Commercial EDI Standards
for
DoD Logistics Business Transactions
Integrated Product Team
Kick-Off
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Commercial EDI Standards For Logistics

Briefing Outline

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JECPO

Mission: DoD Executive Agent and Joint Program Office for Electronic Commerce.

Objective: Establish joint program and organization to accelerate application of electronic practices and associated information technologies to improve DoD processes.

Mission Elements:

- Champions and partners with the Services, Agencies, PSAs, and DoD Customers as they move to EC strategies and techniques.
- Leverages existing EC initiatives to promote efficiencies and interoperability through the elimination of duplication of effort.
- Provides architectural, technical, and operational support for issues that arise during the engineering or reengineering of EC processes.
- Represents DoD on EC matters with other federal executive agencies and ensures implementation of DoD EC policies and agreements reached with international and federal partners.

New Initiatives:

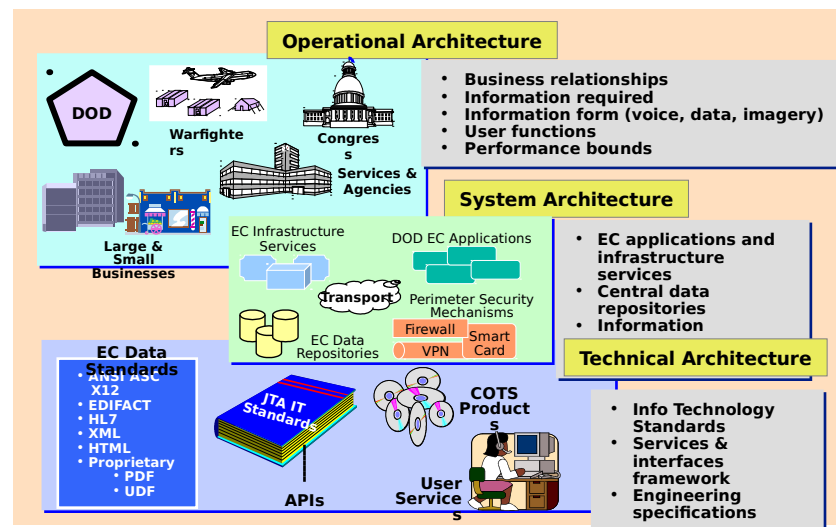
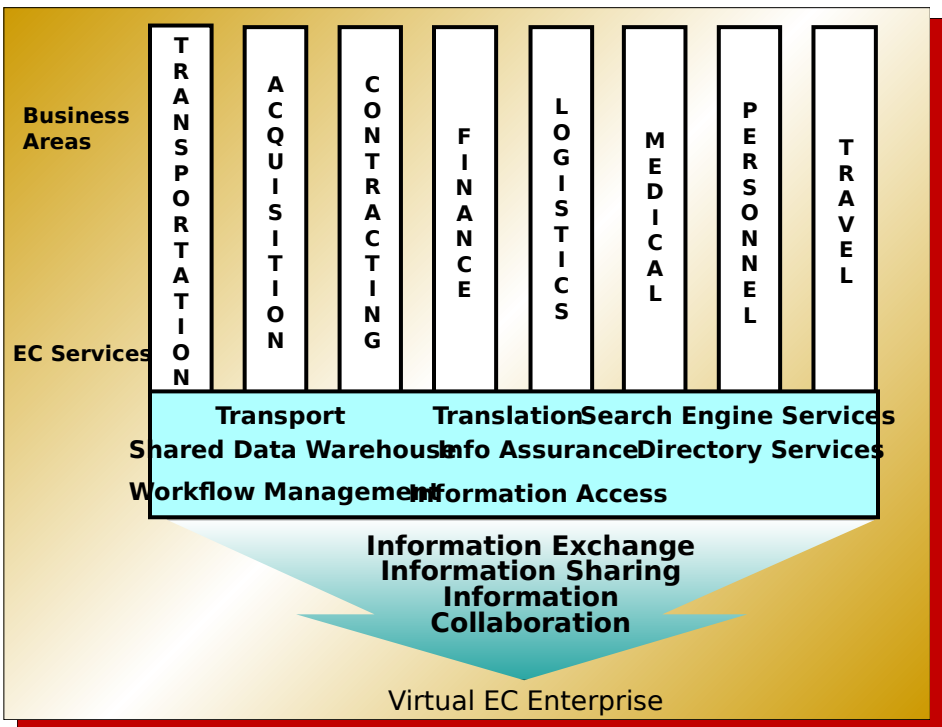
- Ensures consistent planning and implementation of EDI based upon open standards for interoperability in a common business environment.
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JECPO VISION

Provide Department-Wide World Class Electronic Commerce Services Resulting in Reduced Operational Costs and Process Cycle Times





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IPT Mission

- **Develop comprehensive Implementation Plan that**
 - ✓ **Employs phased approach to migrate DoD to commercial logistics EDI standards.**
 - ✓ **Simplifies DoD interface with civil sector.**
 - ✓ **Enhances DoD logistics business change process.**
- **Related Tasks:**
 - ✓ **Assist in developing OSD EDI logistics policy/procedure**
 - ✓ **Assist in identifying and funding of projects that expedite DoD's transition to commercial logistics EDI standards**



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Where Are We Going



How Do We Get There

- ✓ **Employ ANSI ASC X12 as the common DoD EDI logistics standard.**
- ✓ **Establish a logistics clearinghouse organization with**

Provides a stepping stone to emerging technologies



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Employ ANSI ASC X12 as the common DoD EDI logistics standard

• Why?



DoD Information Technology Standards Management Plan for EDI, June 3, 1997 Standard

– Adopt commercial standards whenever practical



– Use ANSI ASC X12, HL7, or UN/EDIFACT

Logistics trading partners have agreed on ANSI ASC X12:

– Implementing conventions documented and agreed upon

– Procurement and financial community using ANSI ASC X12

– Translation capability developed



Proven mature standard facilitating interoperability and evolution to emerging standards

– More robust than UN/EDIFACT



– Commercial translators - ANSI ASC X12 to UN/EDIFACT and new standards

Complements developing EC initiatives (Electronic Mall, Wide Area Work Flow, Web

Technologies etc...)

- Satisfies requirement with a proven mature standard.**



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Establish a Logistics Clearinghouse Organization with DoD-Wide Visibility

- ***“Clearinghouse” role is critical to implementing commercial EDI standards for DoD.***

- ***Provides enabling EDI infrastructure to:***



Implement OSD policy



Oversee continuous process improvements



Expedite implementation of DoD initiatives

– Industry partnering

– Total asset visibility

– Interoperability

– Joint Vision 2010



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Conclusion



Critical IPT mission -- Time for change is NOW.



Much of the “foundation” for change is in place



***JECPO is in position to facilitate changes that flow
from this IPT.***

Lt Col Rich Modell

speaks for me as the IPT Chair.